

RESOLUTION NO.: 38—2016-17

TO THE HONORABLE, THE OUTAGAMIE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

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1 Several proposals regarding Alzheimer’s Disease and Dementia were introduced during
2 the 2015-2016 Legislature and are expected to be reintroduced in the next session or to be
3 included in the next state budget. This resolution supports the proposals listed below:
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- 5 • Providing an increase of \$50,000 in funding during fiscal year 2016-17 for the
6 Alzheimer’s Disease Research Center at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.
- 7 • Creating a dementia specialist certification program.
- 8 • Increasing funding to the Department of Health Services for fiscal year 2016-17
9 to authorize the purchase of a virtual dementia tour license.
- 10 • Increasing funding to the Department of Health Services for fiscal year 2016-17
11 to authorize four additional full-time equivalent positions for dementia care
12 specialists and one additional full-time equivalent position for training of
13 dementia care specialists in aging and disability resource centers in counties with
14 a population under 150,000
- 15 • Requiring a law enforcement agency that has issued an alert for a missing adult at
16 risk, commonly known as a “Silver Alert”, to refer the person making the report
17 to a local aging and disability resource center and requires the Department of
18 Transportation to review the driver’s license of the subject of such an alert.
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20 NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned members of the Legislative/Audit & Human Resources

21 Committee recommend adoption of the following resolution.

22 BE IT RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Board of Supervisors does support legislation
23 providing an increase of \$50,000 in funding during fiscal year 2016-17 for the Alzheimer’s Disease
24 Research Center at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, creating a dementia specialist certification
25 program, increasing funding to the Department of Health Services for fiscal year 2016-17 to authorize
26 the purchase of a virtual dementia tour license, increasing funding to the Department of Health Services
27 for fiscal year 2016-17 to authorize four additional full-time equivalent positions for dementia care
28 specialists and one additional full-time equivalent position for training of dementia care specialists in
29 aging and disability resource centers in counties with a population under 150,000, and requiring a law
30 enforcement agency that has issued an alert for a missing adult at risk, commonly known as a “Silver

1 Alert”, to refer the person making the report to a local aging and disability resource center and requires
2 the Department of Transportation to review the driver’s license of the subject of such an alert, and

3 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Outagamie County Clerk be directed to forward a copy
4 of this resolution to the Outagamie County Health & Human Services Director, the Outagamie County
5 Lobbyist for distribution to the legislature and the governor, and the Outagamie County Executive.

6 Dated this ____ day of August 2016

7 Respectfully Submitted,

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9 LEGISLATIVE/AUDIT &
10 HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

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32 Board Chairperson

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39 County Executive